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Request Under 37 CFR § 1.322 for a Certificate of Correction of Office Mistake

Dear Sir:

1. Applicants request the Director issue a certificate of correction for a spelling error in the surname of inventor James Daniel Kenny, whose surname is incorrectly spelled as "Kenney" on the coversheet of the patent.
2. The Declaration, submitted on May 19, 2004, correctly spells the full name of James Daniel Kenny (copy of page 3 of Declaration attached hereto.) The Application Data Sheet, also submitted on May 19, 2004, incorrectly spells Mr. Kenny's surname as "Kenney" due to a mistake of a clerical or typographical nature, which is also of minor character (copy of page 2 of the ADS attached hereto.) Correction of this mistake does not involve changes which would constitute new matter.
3. Applicants respectfully submit that the spelling error is due to a mistake of the Office because the Declaration governs over the ADS regarding the spelling inconsistency. See 37 CFR § 1.76(d)(3) (which requires that the "declaration...governs inconsistencies with the application data sheet in the naming of inventors.")
4. Applicants submit herewith a Certificate of Correction Form PTO/SB/44.
5. The patent is not involved in an interference.
6. If the Director determines that the error occurred due to applicants' mistake, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fee set forth in § 1.20(a), to Deposit Account No. 23-0503.

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the cover sheet, the surname "Kenney" of the third listed inventor should be spelled -- Kenny --.

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